

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2114
ANSWERED ON:03.12.2001
VISIT OF TOURISTS TO RAJASTHAN
VSM (RETD.) COL. CHOUDHARY

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of domestic/foreign tourists visited Rajasthan during each of the last three years;
- (b) the amount spent on development of Tourism in Rajasthan during the said period, year- wise and project-wise;
- (c) whether the Government have drawn up any Integrated Tourism Development Plan for the State;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE: (SHRI JAGMOHAN)

(a) According to the information provided by the Government of Rajasthan, the number of visits of domestic and foreign tourists to Rajasthan during the years 1998, 1999 and 2000 is as follows:

Year	Number of visits of tourist	
	Domestic	Foreign
1998	6403310	591369
1999	6675528	562685
2000	7374391	623100

(b): Development of tourism in any State/Union Territory is mainly undertaken by the State Government/UT Administration. However, the Department of Tourism, Govt. of India, provides Central financial assistance to the State Governments/UT Administrations for projects/schemes prioritised every year in consultation with them. Details of the amount sanctioned for projects/schemes of Rajasthan for the years 1998-1999, 1999-2000 and 2000- 2001 are given at Annexure.

(c), (d) and (e): No proposal to prepare an Integrated Tourism Development Plan for Rajasthan has been received from the State Government. However, Central financial assistance has been provided to the Government of Rajasthan for integrated development of Pushkar Ghats, Hadoti Region, Vishram Sthali on Beawar Road at Ajmer, Ghat at Ramdeora, Jaisalmer, etc.

ANNEXURE IN RESPECT OF PART (b) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No.2114 FOR 3.12.2001 REGARDING VISIT OF TOURISTS TO RAJASTHAN.

PROJECTS / SCHEMES SANCTIONED TO THE STATE OF RAJASTHAN FOR THE YEAR 1998-99

(Rs.in Lakhs)

Sl.No	Name of the Project/Scheme	Amount Sanctioned
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1.	Integrated Development of Place of Pilgrimage, Pushkar Ghats	51.65
2.	Integrated Development of Important Tourist Places in Hadoti Region	
	(Bundi and near Kota)	82.00
3.	Integrated Development of Vishram Sthali of Pushkar Road, Ajmer	46.70
4.	Upgradation of Shikhar Tourist Bungalow, Mount Abu	25.00
5.	Upgradation of Tourist Bungalow, Sariska	18.00
6.	Upgradation of Tourist Bungalow at Gangau, Jaipur	15.00
7	Upgradation of Tourist Bungalow Khadim. Ajmer	5.00
8.	Upgradation of Tourist Bungalow at Jodhpur.	25.00
9.	Upgradation of Lake Palace Hotel at Siliserh, (Distt. Alwar)	17.65
10.	Upgradation of Tourist Bungalow at Kajri, Udaipur	25.00
11.	Upgradation of Midway at Behror (Distt. Alwar)	13.55
12.	Upgradation of Moomal Tourist Bungalow at Jaisalmer	25.00
13.	General Toilets and Development of Lawns at Museum, Pali	3.20
14.	Toilet Facilities and Landscaping including Water Supply Arrangements at Mughal Gate, Viratnager	3.20
15.	Project of General Toilets and Development Works including Water Supply Arrangements at Chandrawati, Jaipur	3.20
16.	General Toilets including Water Supply Arrangements and Developments of Lawns at Museum, Jaisalmer	3.20
17.	General Toilets and Development of Lawns at Museum, Kota	3.20
18.	General Toilets and Landscaping Works at Museum, Bharatpur	7.72
19.	Project of General Toilets and Development Works at Museum, Mandore	3.20
20.	SEL Show at Amber (Jaipur Distt)	54.00
21.	Shilpgram Utsav	2.50
22.	General Toilets and Development of Lawns at Akbar-ka-Qila, Ajmer	3.31
Total		436.28

PROJECTS/ SCHEMES SANCTIONED TO THE STATE OF RAJASTHAN FOR THE YEAR 1999-2000

(Rs. In Lakhs)

S.No	Name of the Project /Scheme	Amount Sanctioned
1.	Construction and Development Work at	

Amar Singh Rathore-ki-Chattaries, Nagaur	13.33	
2. Refurbishment of maharani-ki-Chattaries, Jaipur	5.37	
3. Construction of Toilet Facilities at Talab Shahi Badi, Dholpur	1.25	
4. Construction of Toilet Facilities and water Supply at Govt.Museum,Chittaurgarh	1.88	
5. Refurbishment of Gator-ki-Chattaries , Jaipur	1.97	
6. Refurbishment of Hawa Mahal, Jaipur	18.00	
7 Conservation of Cenotaphs at Mandore	20.00	
8. Refurbishment of Jantar Mantar , Jaipur	13.30	
9. Development of Mossi Rani Cenotaph and Development of Facilities at Sagar, Alwar	13.30	
10. Development of Steps at Taragarh, Ajmer	9.33	
11. Development of Pilgrim Centre, Salasar, Dham (Distt.Churo)	12.79	
12. Development of Pilgrim Centre of Shri Digambar Jain, Atishaya	20.70	
Total	131.22	

PROJECTS/SCHEMES SANCTIONED TO THE STATE OF RAJASHTAN DURING 2000-2001

(Rs.in Lakhs)

Sl.No	Name of the Project/Scheme	Amount
1.	Refurbishment of Albert Hall, Jaipur	43.33
2.	Refurbishment of Fateh Gumbaj, Alwar	8.00
3.	Conservation/Restoration/Repair work at Akbar's Kos Minar, Rajasthan	6.67
4.	Refurbishment of Amber Palace Jaipur, Rajasthan	53.33
5.	Conservation/Restoration/Repairs of Sun Temple at Ranakpur, Pali	6.67
6.	Conservation/Restoration/Development work at Fateh Prakash, Chittorgarh	33.33
7	Conservation/Restoration work at Mandore	33.33
8.	Conservation/Restoration/Deve.work at Kamra Khas, Bharatpur	33.33
9.	Conservation/Restoration/Development work at Chavand-ka-Mahal, Udaipur	16.67
10.	Conservation /Restoration/Development work at Kiradu Temples	33.33
11.	Conservation/Restoration/Development of Monuments at Virat Nagar	16.67

12.	Restoration work at Patvon-ki- Haveli, Jaisalmer	40.00	
13.	Conservation/ Restoration work at Gatore-Ke-Chhattaries, Jaipur	16.67	
14.	Refurbishment and Conservation of Kishori Mahal, Bharatpur	16.67	
15.	Integrated Development of Ghat at Ramdeora, Jaisalmer	24.99	
16.	Shilpgram at Tourist Village Pushkar, Ajmer	13.74	
17.	Upgradation/Extension of Vinayak Tourist Bungalow at Sawai Madhopur	15.00	
18.	Chemical Conservation work at Garh Palace, Jhalawar	08.33	
19.	Installation of HARK System in Amber Palace Jaipur	03.00	
20.	Website upgrading of DOT & RTDC units and having Internet (IT) bookings with GSA (IT)	25.00	
21.	Pushkar Festival	3.45	
22.	Desert Festival	3.45	

Total		454.96	
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